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Attention:

Office of Petitions Ms. Sherri Brinkley

URGENT ACTION REQUESTED --PATENT MAY ISSUE AS SOON AS SEPTEMBER 7, 2004

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(c) TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE - ISSUE FEE PAID

MS 313(c) Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Via facsimile (12 pages total) 703-305-4257

Sir:

Petition hereby is made to withdraw the above-referenced application from issue. The Office is hereby authorized to charge the fees for this petition to Deposit Account No. 18-0988.

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The reason for withdrawal is to permit the filing of a request for continued examination (RCE) to obtain consideration of an Information Disclosure Statement. An RCE is being submitted by facsimile herewith along with a submission (the IDS) as required under 37 CFR 1.114.

Please fax confirmation of the filing of the RCE application to 216-621-6165.

Favorable action on this petition is earnestly solicited. The undersigned would appreciate receiving a telephone call upon granting of the petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this Petition and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (and any other paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at telephone number 703-305-4257 on the date set forth below.

Date: September 3, 2004

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